Nonstate College Meeting.

todard the nonstate colleges, will meet in

the Denison to-day to plan some line of ac

prominently identified with the movement

are: Dr. P. S. Jameson, G. V. Woollen, W.

D. Hubbard, Joseph R. Evans, John B

Johnson County Democracy.

John W. Ragsdale, a prominent Demo-

crat of Franklin, was at the Grand yester-

day. He said he felt sure the Democrats

Lumber Dealers Coming.

Meeting Postponed.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe have gone to Cuba

Mrs. C. E. Hollenbeck will entertain New

Mrs. John T. Brush will go to New York

Miss Havens will spend the holidays in

Mrs. John W. Kern has gone to Logans-

Mrs. J. V. Miller has returned from

Kendallville, accompanied by her mother,

Miss Alice Day, of Milwaukee, who has

Miss Estelle Jones will entertain her

friends Thursday, Dec. 28, in honor of Miss

Cadillac Hotel, Detroit, Mich., will be with

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith have re-

turned from their wedding trip and are at

The Indiana University alumnae wil

give a banquet at the Bates House on the

evening of Dec. 27, at 9 o'clock. Hon. C.

L. Jewett, of New Albany, will be toast-

Mrs. Charles D. Johnson will entertain

Chicago. To-morrow Mrs. Charles

at luncheon to-day for Mrs. Ellis Miller,

Brown will give a dinner in Mrs. Miller's honor and Thursday evening there will

be a dinner in her honor by Mrs. Alex-

The dinner dance last night at the Uni-

versity Club was a charming social affair

themselves of the opportunity of spending a pleasant evening at the club with

their friends, as this was the last dance

until after the holidays. The patronesses

last night were: Mrs. Jacquelin S. Holii-

day, Mrs. Ovid B. Jameson, Mrs. William

F. Landers, Mrs. John G. Williams, Mrs.

William J. Richards, Mrs. John R. Wil-

son and Mrs. Volney T. Malott. Mrs. Ovid

B. Jameson entertained a small party last

night at the club for dinner. Her guests

were Miss Pauline Moon, Miss Atkins, Mr.

General and Mrs. Benjamin Harrison

gave a handsome dinner last night in

honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hopper, of

Baltimore, Md., who are guests of Mr. and

Mrs. W. H. H. Miller. The guests to meet

Mr. and Mrs. Hopper were Mr. and Mrs.

Augustus Coburn, Miss Katharine Wal-

lick, Miss Margaret Carey, Miss Grace

Wasson, Miss Myla Coburn, Mr. Clarence

Watson, Mr. W. W. Knight. A large bas-

ket of pink begonias formed the center

piece for the table, with Bohemian vases

filled with sprays of the same flower

placed here and there, with candelabra

One of the prettiest teas of the season

was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs.

Charles D. Johnson, in celebration of her

twentieth wedding anniversary. It was a

bridal tea and all the guests who had their

wedding gowns wore them. They presented

an attractive and quaint gathering, some

of them wearing gowns fashionable years

ago. Mrs. Max Leckner wore her grand-

mother's wedding gown, which was made

made when the fashion was to wear them

short in front with a train, showing the

white stockings above the ankles in front.

Some were ashioned in the old colonial

style, while others were made to be worn

with hoops. The gown made a few years ago

with the enormous sleeves looked odd

among so many very tight sleeves. The

majority of the gowns worn were white

satin and a few were yellow with age

The hostess was gowned in white Swiss,

trimmed with satin ribbon and Mrs. Ellis

Miller, of Chicago, who assisted her in

receiving, wore her wedding gown of white

organdie. Assisting in entertaining were

Van Camp. Mrs. S. E. Perkins, Mrs. Merle

Walker, Mrs. Herman Pink, Mrs. Fred-

erick Shepard, Mrs. F. P. Herron, Mrs.

rowd, Mrs. John Boyd, Mrs. J. Q. Barcus,

Mrs. Albert Coffin, Mrs. Elmer Sewall,

Mrs. Ralph Smith. Among the ladies who

Walker, white satin; Mrs. Worth Merritt,

E. Perkins, Mrs. A. D.

white satin; Mrs. J. J. Garver, Mrs.

Mrs. J. Cumming Smith, Mrs. Thomas

Eastman, Mrs. Hiram Brown, Mrs.

Joseph Reagen, Mrs. William Hammel,

and Mrs. Raymond Van Camp. During the

afternoon Marone, the harpist, played

wedding selections. The decorations also

carried out the bridal idea, white and

green being the colors used. In the parlors

white narcissus were used and in the back

parlors Bride roses trimmed the mantel

and were placed about the room in tall

stemmed vases. In the dining room the

table had a center piece of carnations and

ferns. From the chandeliers white satin

ribbon extended to the table and was

caught with the bows. The chandeliers

were trimmed with smilax and a frieze of

the smilax formed a border around the

room. The frieze was a feature in all the

THE NIGHT'S FIRES.

One House Is Damaged \$400-Other

Small Blazes.

Fire from an unknown origin caused

damage of \$75 to the stable owned by John

At 9 o'clock last night the fire depart-

ment was called to the home of Mrs. Emma

Owens, 1229 West Twenty-ninth street, be-

cause of a fire which started from unknown

origin. The blaze was under control be-

fore the arrival of the department and re-

The fire department was called at 11

o'clock to the Barry saw works on South

Pennsylvania street, but could find no fire,

and it was thought the flames issuing from

At 11:55 last night a fire broke out in the

home of Samuel Heath, at 2230 Sheldon

street, as a result of an overheated stove.

A Letter from Selby.

Homer Selby, in a letter to a friend

here, says it has been definitely decided

to hold the Maher-McCoy fight during the

afternoon of New Year's day before a

that "this is done by grady for business

reasons." In addition to this Selby says

that Manager Considine has accepted Mc-

Coy's offer to box Caoynski before the

Don't think that because a brand of cig-

ars are cheap that they are going to please

picture machine." He says, sarcastically,

It did \$400 worth of damage before it was

the blast furnace caused the alarm.

sulted in a loss of but \$2.

Broadway Club Jan. 12.

rooms made of Southern smilax.

Mrs. Henry R. Bliss, Mrs. Orlando B. Iles,

Deschler, white satin; Mrs. Merle

George Stout, Mrs. T. A. Winter-

seventy years ago. Then there were gowns

with pink candles and shades.

Morris and Mr. Bobbs.

the Denison Hotel until their apartments

Mrs. Frank W. Morrison Thursday and

been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. C.

port to visit her sister, Mrs. Schultz, dur-

Terre Haute the guest of the Misses Cox.

attendance of several of the members.

nothing to say.

bers will be present.

for a few weeks.

ing the holidays.

ander Isgrigg.

Mrs. G. A. Brillhart.

Day, has returned home.

Florence Smith, of Frankton.

remain during the holidays.

at the Victoria are completed.

Year's day with cards.

early in the New Year.

Daniels and Mrs. George C. Hitt.

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## AMUSEMENTS.

"The Lady of Lyons" at the Grand Last Night.

"The Lady of Lyons" was given a very uneven performance by the Grand Stock Company last night. There was a lack of continuity and the actors whose parts threw them together displayed marked constraint, but these are faults that will zation should be able to give an evening doubtless disappear with another presentation. Taking into consideration the fact that it was the company's first appearance in a costume play, and that the stilted language of a century ago must have been as strange for the players to utter as it was for the audience to hear from the stock company, it was no doubt an excellent piece of work. It is very certain that little fault could be found with Mr. Kolker's portrayal of the character of Ciaude Melnotte. Even when the temptation to lapse into heavy tragedy was wellnigh irresistible, he did not yield. Miss Shannon, for the most part, read her lines with all the power and expression they call for. She has, however, certain overdrawn gestures and a rolling of the head from side to side that tend to mar the finish of her work. She displayed several gowns of exceptional richness and beauty. Messrs. Macy and Reynolds represented two of the young noblemen that had been mortally their roles necessarily threw them together | days of this week, is the graceful dancing | H. B. Hudnut and J. H. Genung, the ownmuch of the time, they should have tried to of petite Addie Favart, who, it is said, get more en rapport with each other. Mr. has astonished the theater-goers of Aus-Reynolds portrayed with rare delicacy the | tralia, surope and America. lighter type of wealthy young nobleman of the last century, while Mr. Macy presented too great a contrast with his Monsieur Beauseant who always were the corrugated style of forehead. Miss La Verne had a distressingly meager part, but handled it with such consummate art as of the scanty lines assigned her was so excellently done as to bring her hearty apseveral dresses of striking richness. The audience last night was in a most propitious mood, smiling indulgently upon errors and breaking out into spontaneous and hearty applause at the numerous bits of fine acting that were done. Miss Willa for hurried holiday portraits-and results

was repeated until she joined the princi-

pals, showing that the audience desired to show its appreciation of her work. The casting of Mr. Steppling in the part of M. Deschappelles was not merely a display of bad judgment-it was a positive injustice to one who deserves better treatment than being assigned to a role that subjected him to almost constant ridicule from the audi-

> The costumes and scenery of "The Lady of Lyons" are all that could be desired. The garden scene in the second act was unusually handsome The next production of this old play will no doubt show none of the defects of last night. It is really a most excellent medium for the display of stock company ability. There will be the usual Wednesday and

Saturday matinees. An incident that afforded boundless amusement to the audience was the unveiling of a portrait of Miss Shannon in the third act. The statement of Miss Martin as the Widow Melnotte that her son Claude (Mr. Kolker) had painted this picture was evidently given perfect credence.

#### Indian Maidens at Empire.

The Indian Maidens, with Lillian Washburn in the chief role, began an engagement at the Empire Theater yesterday afternoon, playing to a packed house. Miss Washburn is well known on the vaudeville stage as a vocalist. It is claimed she is properly fitted to lead the Indian Maidens because she has Indian blood in her veins. In the musical farce, "Pocahontas," which opens the performance, Miss Washburn sings an Indian love song and in the olio she gives some vocal selections which are illustrated with aving pictures, members of the company posing in these pictures. The Indian marriage dance by the mainens who appear in Indian costume is artistically arranged.

The closing burlesque is entitled "Parisian Follies," which deals with the troubles of a French physician. The olio, in addition to Miss Washburn, includes Tom Nolan and Cora White, who appear in a comedy sketch entitled "A Tramp's History." Both have been seen here before with other vaudeville organizations. The Le Mar Sisters, Theresa and Jessie, have some coon songs and do some dancing. Weston and Yost, comedians, have a comparatively new act which "took" with the audience yesterday and last night. Dick and Kittle Kumins appear in a farce entitled "The Mad House," and Conroy and McFarland close the olio with their "sidewalk" sayings. The list of Indian Maidens includes Clara Barnes, Jessie Stewart, Pauline Bradshaw, Grace Warren, Lillie Suit Cases and Traveling Bags | Morris, Jennie Dean, Hattle Garrison, Louise Langley, Abbie Walker and Louise Formack Pearl Magueen is one of the Morris, Jennie Dean, Hattie Garrison, Fenwick. Pearl Maqueen is one of the driving the English wares out of their own central figures in the opening burlesque.

#### New Play at the Park.

"On the Stroke of Twelve," a melodrama engagement at the Park yesterday afternoon, playing to a large house in spite of the disagreeable weather. Both author and The grandest line of Christmas novelties | play were new to Indianapolis, but yesterday's enthusiastic reception made it better finished than the English product. plain that Mr. Le Brand understands thor-PAUL H. KRAUSS oughly the wants of patrons of popular-price houses. "On the Stroke of Twelve" is which, all other things being even, shows divided into five acts, all but one of which exciting, lines and situations. The third cape from Sing Sing Prison of the hero and prisoners, was received with expressions of approval. The play takes its title from this act, the wholesale prison delivery taking place as the clock strikes twelve. E. N. Worth, in the role of Moses Levi, car-Columbia cup race, sung to the air "I Guess I'll Have to Telegraph My Baby." Harry Barfoot was not a conspicuous success as Henry Rutledge, the hero's father, but made a decided hit as the mysterious prisoner, No. 1109. George T. Welch, as Jack Rutledge, and Augustus Halback, as George Bainbridge, were well received. The Misses Lydia and Clara Knott made very pretty pictures in their respective roles of Doris Rutledge and Jess Bainbridge. The scenery and settings are quite in harmony with the incidents of the play. Some startling effects are produced, notably the explosion in the prison in the third act and the burn-

Sol Smith Russell Breaks Down. CHICAGO, Dec. 18.-Sol Smith Russell was obliged by illness to dismiss his audience at the Grand Opera House to-night. The breakdown occurred in the first act. Mr. Russell was standing behind a long table, the scene being that of a lawyer's office. Of a sudden it became apparent that has been felt that the English excelled to he had lost his lines. His companion player of the scene tried to prompt him, but without success. Mr. Russell then rose, and in weak voice and with rather incoherent phrases asked the audience to excuse his as they ought to do.' further effort and to consider the performance ended. He bowed his head and the curtain came down hurriedly as two of his associates hastened to his side. He did not collapse utterly, however, as it was feared, but retired with little assistance to his dressing room, and a half hour later, in company with his wife and his manager, F. H. Berger, was driven to his hotel. No physician was called behind the scenes, though the services of Dr. Frank Billings, nervous specialist, were sought by telephone. Dr. Billings reached the hotel before 11 o'clock. He declined to discuss the condition of his patient. It is denied, however, that the indisposition was anything more than temporary in nature.

## "Miss Hobbs" Well Received.

LONDON, Dec. 18.-Charles Frohman presented Jerome K. Jerome's comedy, "Miss Hobbs," now running at the Lyceum Theater in New York, at the Duke of York Theater, London, this evening. The play and company met with a cordial reception. The principal roles were taken by Miss Evelyn Millard, Herbert Waring and Miss Agnes Miller.

## Notes of the Stage.

It seems that there is nothing in the rumors that Stage Director Brooke of the Grand will resign. He will remain all

"A Runaway Girl" will be at English's Opera House Friday night and at the matinee and night performances on Saturday. Headed by James T. Powers, and including such feminine stars as Marie Celeste and the Misses Booth and Towler, this organiof comic opera that has rarely been

Isham's Octoroons, who follow "On the Stroke of Twelve" at the Park Thursday afternoon, number in their large company twelve persons whose talent as singers and specialty artists ranges far above the aver- | thize with the movement, although parties age. The farcical skit entitled "7-11-77." with which the entertainment begins, is known to patrons of the Park as one of the funniest things of its kind

The sale of seats for the engagement three days of next week, opened with a rusa at English's Opera House yesterday morning. Mr. Skinner is always a prime favorite with Indianapolis theater-goers. and the management of English's is to be congratulated upon securing him for their Christmas attraction. "The Liars" will be given Monday (Christmas) afternoon and

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. A feature of the performance given by Harry Seamon's Extravaganza Company, offended by the proud Pauline, and, as which comes to the Empire the last three

Debate at Marion Club The Marion debaters will meet at the Marion Club this evening. Linton A. Cox to make herself a center of interest at Spanish-American War on American Ineach of her few appearances. Her reading dustries." Following the reading there will themselves. It is expected that either the be a general discussion of the subject, to be led by Amos P. Hynes and Crate D. plause and a curtain call. She also wore Bowen. No other meeting will be held un-

## til Tuesday, Jan. 9.

Christmas Photo Work. We have special plates, paper and mounts Martin looked too pretty and youthful for as good as though ten days were taken. the Widow Melnotte, but otherwise was Come for sittings. Nobody disappointed. very acceptable. One of the curtain calls KITCHELL STUDIO. 1126 North Pennsylvania street.

REPORTED 8100,000 RAISED WITHIN SIX MONTHS.

Whisky Men Will Not Ask to Have War Tax Removed-American Trade in England.

The trustees of De Pauw University held an informal meeting at the Bates last night in advance of the regular semi-annual meeting which will be held to-day. Those present were: Clem Studebaker, of South Bend; Chancellor W. H. Hickman, of Greencastle; Judge J. T. Elliott, of Kokomo: Rev. D. M. Wood, of Lebanon; and J. T. Hamilton, of Chicago.

Chancellor Hickman, who has charge of the field work and is therefore in control of headquarters. It is expected that 125 memthe organized effort throughout the State to raise \$500,000 as an endowment for the college, reported that he had raised over \$100,000 during the last six months and that of this sum, over \$60,000 had been collected

during the last three months. It is settled that there will be no change in the personnel of the faculty and no immediate addition to the present college buildings, although important extensions are contemplated for the future. The business of to-day's meeting will be altogether of a routine nature, as the annual election of officers does not take place until next

### AMERICAN TRADE IN ENGLAND. Representative of Atkins & Co.

Talks of It. W. H. Rollins, the English representative of the E. C. Atkins saw works of this city, discussed American trade in the European market at considerable length last night at the Bates. He said it was a well known fact in England that American goods were securing a greater commercial recognition every year and were gradually

"How is it," Mr. Rollins was asked, "that American iron and steel ware, which is by Joseph Le Brand, began a three days' higher wages than those in England, can

goods made right at home?" "The secret of it is," he replied, "that the American goods are first-class and are to the best advantage. Competition is made handicap of higher wages, by the fact that goods cost them, while the average English the English manufacturer has for ages made many different lines. As each line next to impossible for him to know what at least, a more comprehensive profit. It is a notorious fact that, while English Sheffield cutlery has a well established reputation in many lands, some of the worst and cheapest goods are turned out from there, and, moreover, it is also a fact that Jessup steel is imported from Sheffield into the mills of this country, where it is made into cutlery and other kinds of hardware and then sent back to Sheffield to be marketed in competition cret of this success is that Americans use ing house in the fourth. "On the Stroke of | modern machinery, which saves time in the Twelve" continues with usual daily mat- production of goods, and so more than equalizes the extra wages paid to employes, inees until Thursday afternoon, when it equalizes the extra wages paid to employes. win be succeeded by Isham's Octoroons. All over England I find a tendency among manufacturers to buy American machinery, and in many places I find whole workshops fitted up with it. It isn't because the English manufacturers like to buy this machinery, but because they realize that Americans invent special machinery for creasing in England even in lines in such a point that all thought of competion was out of the question. Germans are trying to gain a foothold there, but the Americans, by their ingenuity, have the field to themselves if they push their goods

## THE THRESHER TRUST.

Men Who Are to Discuss It Begin to Arrive in Town.

The advance guard of the threshermen Denison last night. They will represent the National Thresher Manufacturers' and Mrs. James R. Carnahan, Mrs. Courtland Jobbers' Association and they are all preend of the meeting. The feeling is general | Alexander Isgrigg, Mrs. Frank Van Camp, that while the thresher trust is bound to Mrs. Alfred Burdsal, Mrs. Frank G. Wood, be organized, it will not be perfected in Mrs. Louis G. Deschler, Mrs. J. W. Gregor, time to handle the product of 1900. Those present up to an early hour this morning were: S. C. Swayne, of Richmond; F E. Kennaston, of Minneapolis; S. B. Hart. of Peoria; Walter Gregory, of Minneapolis; Henry Clay Allen, white satin; Mrs. Louis of Battle Creek, Mich; W. H. Carfield, of Chicago; and J. B. Cantwell, of Springfield, O.

Among those present last night, it was felt that the delay in perfecting the trust was due to the inability of the underwriters to secure the necessary capital on account of the present tight money market. All were of opinion, however, that the organization of the trust was but a matter

## THE WAR TAX.

#### What a Conservative Whisky Dealer Says About It.

Rene Couturie, a Louisiana man in the

whisky trade, was at the Bates yesterday and said some effort was being made by the distillers to have not only the war tax removed from whisky, but also 40 cents of the present \$1.10 internal revenue tax. He said, however, there were conservative men in the whisky trade who did not sympato it. This apathy, he said, was due to a feeling that it would be unpatriotic, to say the least, to ask for the abolition of the war tax at this time, when the government needed money so badly and when there were so many other lines of trade that were suffering from the tax more than the whisky business. He said the conservative | Dye at 1106 North Delaware street. sentiment was that nothing ought to be done until the government had disposed of its present perplexities.

## MILL OWNERS CONFER.

Gossip of a Combination Between Two Important Industries.

An important conference was held at the Bates last night between Joseph Gent, of the Cerealine Company, of this city, and ers of the hominy mills of Terre Haute. It was suggested around the corridors that a deal was on for the consolidation of in- extinguished. terests of the two mills, but this was denied by Mr. Hudnut. The fact that lends color to the rumor that the two interests will be consolidated is the fact that both are large concerns, having a trade much in common and almost exclusively between announcement of a combination or a trade alliance will be made in the near future.

New England Society Dinner. The ninth annual dinner given by the New England Society in celebration of Forefathers' day, was arranged for at a meeting held yesterday. The dinner will be served at the Denison Friday evening. a smoker, but pick out a standard make The menu and decorations are expected like the Y. B. 10-cent Cigar and you are The report of the committee to draft a conto be elaborate. Rev. N. A. Hyde will be | sure of buying the best.

#### toastmaster and speeches will be made by John L. Griffiths, J. P. Dunn, Edward W. F. DEHM IS ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH SYSTEMATICALLY A number of prominent citizens, who are opposed to the present attitude of the State ROBBING KIPP BROS.' STORE.

tion to relieve the present conditions. Those He Had Been Employed There Four Years-Gus Klotz Is Also Tak-Conner, R. N. Lamb and W. P. Fishback. en Into Custody.

Last night Detectives Gerber and Morgan arrested and sent to police headquarters would increase their usual majority in Johnson county in the presidential election. William F. Dehm, 127 East Ohio street, and Regarding gubernatorial candidates he had Gus Klotz, 1223 South Meridian street. Dehm is charged with grand larceny and Klotz with receiving stolen goods.

Dehm has for four years been a clerk in Word was received at the Grand Hotel the wholesale house of Kipp Brothers, 37 yesterday that the Retail Lumber Dealers' South Meridian street. The firm has at Association would meet in this city, Jan. various times missed quantities of mer-16 and 17, and would make that hotel its chandise and finally Dehm was suspected. The detectives were given the case and it was found that Dehm had been carrying away at the end of the day's work quanti-A meeting of the Wesleyan Bible Society ties of gold and steel spectacles, pocket was scheduled for the Denison yesterday knives, pipes, jewelry, fountain pens and but was postponed because of the nonother small articles These articles have been sold at various places in the city. It is claimed the firm's losses by the thefts have been about \$1,000, but Dehm, who confessed to the charge, said he had

> Klotz, it is claimed, helped Dehm to disose of the stolen property and when arrested had some of the articles on him.

> taken less than half that amount. When

arrested he had on his person three dozen

spectacles, several fountain pens and

## MUSICAL MATTERS.

Second Presbyterian Music. The following programme will be presented at the Christmas services of the Second Presbyterian Church Sunday, Dec. 24. Quartet, Mrs. Lottle Adam Raschig, soprano; Alice Fleming Evans, alto; Mr. B. F. Miller, tenor, and Louis Dochez, bass; Chas. F. Hansen, organist.

-Morning-Mr. and Mrs. James H. Swart, of the Organ Prelude-"Christmas Pas-(a) "Comfort Ye My People....-(b) "Every Valley Shall be Exalted"-

"Messiah"..... Handel Mr. B. F. Miller. Organ offertory-"Christmas Quartet-Te Deum in D major ..... Hansen 'Rejoice," "Messiah"......Handel Mrs. Raschig. Organ Postlude-"Symphonic"......Salome

Organ Prelude-"Holy Night"......Dudley Buck Quartet—"Calm on the Listening Ear of Night"......Gilchrist 'Hark, What Mean Those Holy (Dedicated to Alice Fleming Evans.) Mrs. Evans.

-Evening-

Duet-"My Song Shall be Always, Thy Mercy"......... Mendelssohn Mrs. Raschig and Mr. Miller. The Christmas Angels' Song".....Hansen Louis Dochez. Quartet-"Hail the King"...H. N. Bartette Organ Postlude-Hallelujah Chorus-

The Oberlin Glee Club Concert. The Oberlin College Glee Club will give

concert at English's Opera House next Thursday evening, Dec. 21, in the Y. M. C. A. course. The club is one of the most popular organizations of the kind that visits Indianapolis. The singers are selected by competition from the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, there frequently being twentyfive candidates for a vacancy in the club and their programme includes the best Winter, Mr. Charles Millard, Mr. Philip | music as well as the ever-popular college glees and musical pranks. The guitar, mandolin and banjo clubs accompany the glee club this year, enabling it to present the greatest programme is has given. The club is also assisted by Rudolph Bellinger, violinist. The Oberlins travel in their private car and will be the recepients of many social attentions throughout their three weeks' tour of the West.

#### VITAL STATISTICS—DEC. 18. Births.

Celia and Isham Donald, 322 West Walnut street, boy. Amanda and Charles McKinney, 209 Minerva street, girl. Georgia and William Tertz, 721 River ave-

Emma and Harry Smith, 822 South East street, girl. Lizzie and Frank Wright, 465 West Eleventh street, boy. Sarah and Edward B. Kelly, 611 West Pearl street, boy Christina and Frederick Young, 426 East Market street, boy. May and C. W. Noll, 1630 Hall place, girl. Clara and Charles Richardson, 731 Shef-

field avenue, boy. Minnie and harvey Wilson, 2229 West Walnut street, girl. Anna and Aubrey Craig, 2231 \, est Michigan street, girl. Cora and Richard Barnes, 918 North Sheffield avenue, girl. Tillie and Ferdinand Ehlert, 331 Lincoln Judge Harlan's Decision in a Georgia street, boy. Mary and Henry Weber, 537 South Ale

bama street, boy. Annie and John Rottler, 1110 Deloss street, Biva and Fred Keen, 539 South Alabama street, girl. Lizza and Otta Wrede, 1231 Springdale avenue, boy. Sarah and Abraham Wilson, 117 West Morris street, boy.

## Deaths.

Christina Young, thirty-three years, 426 East Market street, blood clot. James W. Lanktree, fifty-eight years, 2324 North Delaware street, apoplexy. Mamie C. Kelley, thirty-five years, West Market street, dropsy. Ida B. Kohlbauer, thirty-eight years, 21 Eastern avenue, heart failure. Adell Langsdale, twenty-one years, 419 East Ohio street, heart trouble Mary Rafferty, thirty-five years, 1011 Meek street, pneumonia. Anna Baker, ninety-one years, 310 East St. Clair street, cardiac failure.

#### Marriage Licenses. Isaiah Rogers and Clemmie C. Hoffman. Edward O. Arbuckle and Josephine

Horace W. C. Fosdick and Blanche M. Edward Barb and Pearl Correy. John F. Mason and Josephine Clear. Marcus A. Grimes and Ida M. Jackson.

## CITY NEWS NOTES.

William C. Sadler, of Indianapolis, filed

a petition in bankruptcy yesterday in the Federal Court. His liabilities are \$4,366.78; assets, \$201.60. It is said that Albert Lieber has been thinking of organizing a company to convert the Maus brewery, now used as a house, into an operating distillery. Mr. Lieber said that he had been considering the matter.

severed Feb. 1, has received offers from New York and from the church at large. He has not yet decided what action he will take on them. Dr. Edward Howard, 1009 College avenue, who had been a resident of Indianapolis since 1854, died yesterday afternoon at his home. He was eighty-five years of age

and until a year ago was actively engaged

The Master Plumbers' Association held

in the practice of his profession.

Rev. G. A. Carstensen. whose connection

with St. Paul's Episcopal Church will be

its annual election last night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: William J. Freaney, president; Jacob Arnold, vice president; Charles Aneshaensel, secretary; George F. Kirkhoff, treasurer; L. B. Skinner, sergent-at-arms. Census Supervisor Vincent G. Clifford has been called to Chicago to meet Fred

supervisors of the Middle West or of those who will have charge of the work in the larger cities. The Indiana Suffrage Association met yesterday at the Indiana Trust building.

senting the city and State organizations will be sent to Washington D C., in February to attend the celebration of Miss

Anthony's birthday. The Engravers' Union has again asked for an increase in the wage scale, equal to that of the Chicago scale, except that they want a 48-hour clause instead of 53 hours. Half-tone operators, finishers and etchers ask for a minimum of \$21 weekly and line workers in the same classes ask \$18. It is thought no serious trouble will result from the demands

Capt. William E. English has been notified that he has been elected department commander of the Spanish-American war veterans of the State of Indiana. The organization, which is similar to that of the G. A. R., has been recently perfected in Washington and the appointment make Captain English the head of the order in this State.

# BOYS ARE ARRESTED

For Engaging in a Fight in Front of a Theater.

During the last few weeks there has been an increasing tendency among boys and young men to engage in fights and quarrels in the street in front of the Park Theater at the conclusion of the performances. Last night several boys took a notion to fight and four of them, Rush Whitt, Hulley Johnson, colored, Norma Norman and Robert Pattison were arrested and charged with inciting riot. Whitt and Johnson are also charged with assault and battery. Several boys were arrested a few days

#### DEATH IS EXPECTED.

ago for the same offense.

Thomas J. Montgomery's Condition Holds Out Little Hope.

Dr. Storch, who is attending Thomas J. Montgomery, member of the Board of Public Works, said late last night that he was expecting his patient's death at any time. It was probable, he said, that he would not live till morning.

Mr. Montgomery lives at 1424 South Meridian street and has for several weeks been chritically ill of Bright's disease. He is thirty-eight years of age, unmarried and was born in Indianapolis.

Judge Allen, of the Circuit Court, yesterday received word of the death of a sister which occurred at Wichita, Kansas, on Sunday evening. The body will be brought to Greencastle for burial.

#### M'GIFFERT CENSURED.

His Teachings Disapproved by New York Assembly.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- The New York Presbytery to-day adopted resolutions disapproving the teachings of Rev. Dr. A. C. McGiffert. The resolutions, prepared by Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke and Rev. Dr. Howard Johnston, find that the teachings of the book entitled "A History of Christianity in the Apostolic Age," by Rev. A. C. McGiffert, are erroneous and liable to be misunderstood. The points objected to

"The apparent acceptance of the theory that the sacrament of the holy communion was not instituted by Christ himself upon the occasion of the last supper as a memorial feast.

"The discrediting of the view so long accepted by the church that the Third Gospel and the book of Acts was written by St. Luke and the suggestion that they were more probably the work of one writer living in the latter part of the first century, a generation after the death of the

"The expression of uncertainty as to the uthorship of the Gospel of John and that the discourses in it attributed to our Lord, although 'they emoody Christ's genuine teaching at least to some extent,' are the composition of the author. "The view that 'Jesus' emphasis of faith

in or acceptance of himself is throughout an emphasis, not of his personality, but of his message, and thus simply a reaffimation of filial trust in devotion to and service to God as the essential and sufficient condition of an eternal life of blessedness The report of Dr. Van Dyke and Dr.

Johnston, which was adopted, warns those accepting the avowed teachings as if inbe careful to distinguish between the theories of criticism and the certainties of faith. Dr. Van Dyke and Dr. Johnston say that "neither the interests of peace of the church nor the protection of the purity of its doctrine calls for any further action at the present time, but that a trial for heresy would work grave injury to the interests of Christ's kingdom."

## NOT A RACE QUESTION.

School Case.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.-In the United States Supreme Court to-day Justice Harlan handed down an opinion in the case of A. W. Cumming and others vs. the Board of Education of Richmond county, Georgia which closed the colored high school in Richmond county for want of funds, leaving a white school still in existence. The suit was instituted for the purposes of securing an injunction to prevent the collection of taxes for the maintenance of the school system generally. Justice Harlan said that the education of the young had been remitted to the several States and should be generally left to their control. The court had not been able to discover that the Supreme Court of Georgia had erred in refusing to grant an injunction. The school board was confronted he said, with the necessity of closing the colored high school and turning the high school building over to the negro children of the primary grades or leaving the latter without educational facilities. The court failed to see that this was a violation of the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution. The School Board was confronted Harlan, in the course of his opinion, that o close the public schools attended by the white children and thus deprive them of educational facilities would not ald the colored children in the least. The evidence. he said, indicated that the county board

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

had acted in perfect good faith.

Admiral Sampson was mustered into James A. Garfield Post, 193, G. A. R., at Palmyra, N. Y., last night. John Rutland, a builder of Medford, Mass. has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, \$174.615; no assets. Arthur Donner has been elected a director of the American Sugar Refining Com-

pany, vice F. O. Matthiesen, recently re-

The sale of the Chicago, Peoria & St Louis Railway, and the St. Louis, Chicago & St. Paul Railway, which was to have been made at Springfield, Ill., yesterday, has been postponed until Jan. 8. Wallace R. Struble, vice president of the American Young People's Temperance Fed-

#### at Chicago next Sunday, to discuss the political aims of the organization. To Pension Mrs. Gridley.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 .- Among the

eration, has issued a call for a conference

bills introduced in the Senate to-day was one by Senator McMillan, of Michigan, increasing the pension of Mrs. Anne Gridley, nother of the late Chas. V. Gridley, who commanded Admiral Dewey's flagship, the Olympia, in the battle of Manila bay. A H. Wines, assistant supervisor of the bufew years ago Mrs. Gridley was granted a reau at Washington. He is not certain whether the call is for a meeting of the a Union hurse during the civil war. For a few years past she has occupied a clerkship in the land office, but her impaired health and advanced age render it probable that she will not be able to render clerical services very much longer. Representative Gardner, of Michigan, introduced stitution was received. A delegate repre- I the same bill in the House.

#### SWEEPING THE BLOOD. Would any housekeeper ever allow a brood of strange black ugly creatures of devilish aspect to accumulate and choke up by their foul presence the best living rooms in her house? No. Out they would go promptly with a broom and her strong arm behind it. A scrofulous taint in the human sys-

tem is no less foul and fearful than a brood of devils accumulating in the blood springing up here, there and everywhere; causing a hundred mysterious and apparently incurable symptoms in all parts of the body. A terrible case of chronic scrofula is

described by an Iowa lady, Mrs.

James Murphy, of Fonda, Pocahontas Co., in a noteworthy letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. "I will forever thank you for the advice you gave me," she says. "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has cured me of chronic scrofula of twenty years' standing. I had doctored for the trouble until I was completely discouraged. I also had chronic diarrhea for twelve years. I am in good health now-better than I ever was in my life, owing to Dr. Pierce's 'Discovery.' I return thanks and it is with pleasure I send you

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132 S. PENN. ST. All kinds of Saws repaired Obituary.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—William Henry Lee, one of the best hotel men in the country, was found dead at his resucence today. He was fifty-five years old, and up to two months ago was the manager of the Imperial Hotel. He had been manager of the Windsor Hotel, the Hotel Victoria and the Vendome in this city; the Richfield Springs Hotel, Richfield Springs, and the lotel Tacoma, Tacoma, Wash. LONDON, Dec. 18 .-- Bernard Quaritch, the famous art dealer and vender of rare books, died yesterday in his eighty-second year. He had a world-wide reputation

BERLIN, Dec. 18 .- Franz Himmer, who was the first Wagnerian singer in the pension of \$20 per month for services as United States, where he appeared in 1862. has just died at Hildesheim

Department Stores Lawful. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 18 .- The Illinois

Supreme Court to-day held the anti-depart-ment store law, passed by the last Legis-lature, to be unconstitutional.